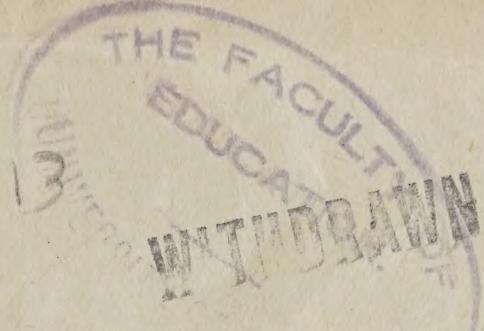


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Age Requirements for Professional Training.

CIRCULAR TO HIGH AND CONTINUATION SCHOOL PRINCIPALS AND TO INSPECTORS.

Circular No. 26 of August, 1908, contains the following :

"In pursuance of its policy of improving the qualifications of the teachers, the Department of Education will hereafter exact a higher standard of answering at the examinations for entrance into the Faculties of Education and into the Normal and Model Schools. The age for admission into the Faculties of Education and the Normal Schools will also be raised one year in each case. Beginning with the session 1909-1910, each candidate for a teacher's certificate shall be at least eighteen before entering a Normal School and at least nineteen before entering either of the Faculties of Education."

In accordance with this announcement, an applicant for admission to a Faculty of Education must be nineteen years of age on or before September first; for admission to a Normal School, eighteen years of age on or before September first; and for admission to a Model School, eighteen years of age on or before December thirty-first.

It must be understood that no deviation from the foregoing rule will be allowed in any case.

School Principals and Inspectors are requested to give due publicity to the provisions of this circular.

R. A. PYNE,

March, 1909.

Minister of Education.

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